



## GOVERNORS AT COLERNE SCHOOL “WHAT WE DO”

The Governing Board is made up of a number of different types of Governors and the normal term of office is four years. We recognise and appreciate that Governors bring different areas of expertise to the Governing Board and have members with a wide range of experience in all areas required. Each Governor has a number of delegated responsibilities with regard to subject areas, e.g., Health and Safety, Child Protection etc.

The Governing Board is responsible for working with the school to ensure that it delivers the best quality of education. Together with Mr Solomon and the Senior Leadership Team, we work to ensure high standards of achievement for all pupils in school by:

- Ensuring clarity of vision, ethos and strategic direction
- Holding the Headteacher to account for the educational performance of the school and it’s pupils
- Overseeing the financial performance of the school

### **The Governors role in school**

The Governors, with the support of the Headteacher and staff, consider issues and make decisions on a wide range of issues such as the following:

- Child Protection
- Standards
- The Curriculum
- Admissions
- School Budget
- Staffing
- Discipline and Attendance
- Communication with key stakeholders
- Ofsted Inspection
- Health, Safety and Welfare
- Control and use of school premises
- Organisational change

The Governing Board also ensure staff have the resources and support they require to do their jobs so well and we monitor the impact those resources have on

performance of pupils. We ensure there is an effective method of appraisal and that staff can take part in continued professional development. In addition, we make sure that the premises are kept to a standard that ensures the pupils are happy and safe in the school environment.

We meet every six weeks, with many smaller meetings taking place between the Senior Leaders and particular Governors on a weekly basis